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On September 10, 2002, Marcia Blase, Legal Counsel to the Chairman spoke with Julie Bauer from the government affairs office of the Chicago Board of Trade. The topic of discussion was final rules to adopt the proposed amendments to the new regulatory framework for trading facilities and clearing organizations published by the Commission on April 26, 2002 (67 FR 20702).